U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE **FORM PTO-1390** 741438-68 TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES U.S. APPLICATION NO. (If known, see 37 CFR 1.5) DESIGNATED/ELECTED GFFICE (DO/EO/US) 10/581,482 CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35, U.S.C. 371 INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. November 24, 2004 PCT/EP2004/013337 December 8, 2003 TITLE OF INVENTION TEXTILE LABEL AND METHOD FOR THE PRODUCTION THEREOF APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US Stefan HOFMAIR and Hans-Dieter SCHIRMER and Dr. Reinhard SURKAU Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information: This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371. 1. This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371. × 2. This is an express request to promptly begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The 3. submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below. The US has been elected by the expiration of 19 months from the priority date (Article 31). 4. A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)) 5. 🗆 a. \square is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau). has been communicated by the International Bureau. b. □ is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US). c. 🛚 An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)). a.

is attached hereto. b. ☐ has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4). 7. Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)). are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau). have been communicated by the International Bureau. c. | have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired. d.

have not been made and will not be made. An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)). 9. 区 An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)). An English language translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under 10. 🗆 PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)). Items 11 to 20 below concern document(s) or information included: An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98. 11. An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included. 13. ☐ A FIRST preliminary amendment. 14. ☐ An Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76. 15. ☐ A substitute specification. 16. ☐ A change of power of attorney and/or address letter. 17. A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 35 U.S.C. 1.821 - 1.825. 18. ☐ A second copy of the published international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4). 19. A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).

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NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 06/02/2006
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 06/02/2006
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 06/02/2006
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 06/02/2006
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 06/02/2006
- Priority Documents filed on 06/02/2006
- Non-English Language Application filed on 06/02/2006
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- Claims filed on 06/02/2006
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The following items MUST be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

 Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

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